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,	SHIPPING.	BANKS.	HONGKONG ICE COMPANY,	AUCTION PUBLIC AUCTION	NOTICES TO CONSIGNEES.	LOST	NEW ADVERTISEMENT 3.
	ARRIVALS. Pebruary 11, KWANG-LEE, Chinoso steam,	HONGKONG& SHANGHALBANKING CORPORATION.	LIMITED.	FRIDAY, THE 19th FEBRUARY, 1896.	"SHIRE" LINE OF STEAMERS. , NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.	A LARGE BROWN FOREIGN DOG,	HONGKONG AMATEUR ATHLETIC SPORTS.
	1,508, Andrew, Whampon 11th February, General.—C. M. S. N. Co.	RESERVE TUND 4500.000.	MEETING OF SHAREHOLDERS WILL	AT 3 P.M.	S. S. "BRECONSHIRE."	the words "VILIGENT ASOO" engraved on	ENTLEMEN interested in ATHLETICS are requested to attend a MEETING to
	February 11, Phra Chom Klao, British str., 1,011, Stratton, Bangkok 4th February,	RESERVE FOR EQUALIZATION OF \$ 500,000.	be held at the Office of the Company, Pedder's Street, at Twenve o'clock, Noon, on WED-NESDAY, the 17th February, 1886, to receive	Premises in ONE or More LOTS.	DON, AND SINGAPORIE.	Collar. Any one Returning the same to SAM HING, T. ILOR, will be Rewarded if necessary.	be held in the GYMNASIUM, VICTORIA RECREA-
	General Yuen Fat Hong.	RESERVE LIABILITY OF PRO. 7.500,000.	a Statement of the Accounts of the Company to 31st December, 1885, and the Report of the	VALUABLE LEASEHOLD PROPERTIES.	CONSIGNEES of Cargo are heroby informed that all Goods, with the exception of	Hongkeig, Sth February, 1886. [322] HONGKEIG RIELE ASSOCIATION.	17th instant, at 6 r.M., for the purpose of Reserving Accounts, Electing Officers, and
	CLEARANCES.	Clarring on Dynagony	General Managers, also to discuss any matters that may be competently brought before the	Lot 1—All that Piece or Parcel of GROUND Situate at Victoria, Hongkong, containing	Opium, are being landed at their risk, into the Godowns of the undersigned, at Wanchai, behind the premises known as No. 3. "Blue	ENU EMEN interested in RIFLE	For the Committee 1885, H. FOSS.
	AT THE HARBOUR MASTER'S OFFICE. 11th February.	Deputy Chairman A. McIver, Esq. H. L. Dairymple, Esq. 1 E. H. M. Huntington, Esq.	Meeting. The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from the 6th to 17th February,	Office as INLAND LOT 301.	Buildings," whence and or from the wharves or	above Association, new in course of formation, are requested to send in their Names, AL ONCE.	Hongkong, 12th Pehrnary, 1886. [371-
* .	Rhosina, British str., for YokohamaEsmeralda, Gorman str., for Bassion (India).	II Blanning back 10 D Rottamlar Eur	1886, both days inclusive.	sidue of a Term of 999 years at a yearly Crown	Optional Cargo will be forwarded on, unless notice to the contrary be given before 10 A.M.	to any of the MEMBERS OF THE PROVISIONAL	"SHIRE" LINE OF STEAMERS.
. 6	Benalder, British str., for Singapore. Clara, German str., for Saigon.	CHIEF MANAGER. Hongkong-Thomas Jackson, Esq.	General Managers.	Oughe above Lot is engeted the VALUABLE	No Chains will be admitted after the Goods.	Hon. Sec. :— General Gordon.	FOR YOKOHAMA AND HIOGO.
	Plainmeller, British str., for Nagasaki, Diamante, British str., for Manila.	MANAGER. Shanghai—Ewen Cameron, Esq.	HONGKONG ICH COMPANY,		have left the Godowns, and all Goods remaining after the 17th instant, will be subject to rent. All Claims against the steamer must be pre-	Col. Grawtord, R.A. Col. Fortha, Northamptonshire Regiment, LieutCol. Anderson, do.	. Popo, Commander, will be despatched for the
A.		LONDON BANKERS-LONDON & COUNTY BANK.	LIMITED. TOTICE is hereby given that immediately	800 square feet and Registered in the Land	sented to the Undersigned on or before the 17th Feb., 1886, or they will not be recognised.	Major Dempster. Captain Pouter, A.D.C.	above Ports TO-DAY, the 12th instant, at NOON.
	DEPARTURES. February II, Activ. Danish str., for Hollow.	HONGKONG—INTEREST ALLOWED. On Current Deposit Account at the rate of 2 per cent, per Annum on the daily balance.	MEETING AN EXTRAORDINARY GE.	The above Lot is held the unexpired residue of a Term of 75 years at a yearly Grown	No Fire Insurance has term effected. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by	Commodore MORANT, R.N. The Hon. T. Jackson.	For Freight or Passage, apply to ADAMSON, BELL & Co.,
	February 11, ULYSSES, British str., for Shanghai. February 11, GREYHOUND, British steamer, for	On Fixed Deposits:— For Smonths 3 per Cent. per Appum.	NERAL MEETING of the Company will be held at the Registered Office of the Company	On the above Lot is erected the VALUABLE	ADAMSON, DELL & Co., Agents, Hongkong, 10th February, 1886. 300	E. L. WOODIN, Esq. G. NOBLE, Esq.	Hongkong, 11th February, 1886. [300
	Heihow. February II, MELITA, German str., for Pakhei.	For 6 months 4 per Cent. per Annum. For 12 months 5 per Cent. per Annum.	for the purpose of passing a Special Resolution to Amend the Articles of Association by striking	Massuage known as No. 33, Wanchai Road. For Further Particulars, apply to SHARP, JOHNSON, & STOKES.	TOCONSIGNEESOFOPTIONALCARGO	H. J. H. Trupe, Esq. Subscription, 85 per Annum. Life Members, \$25 in full.	INDO-CHINA STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY, LIMITED.
6	February II, PLAINMELLEB, British str., for Nagasaki	CEEDITS granted on approved Securities, and	out Article 34 and substituting in lieu thereof an Article providing for the sub-division of the existing Shares of the value of \$100 each of the	Vendor's Solicitors.	EX O. S.S. CO'S S.S. "ULYSSES." FROM LIVERPOOL.	ALF, WOOLLEY,	FOR SHANGHAL
	February 11, Marie, German steamer, for Hai-	svery description of Banking and Exchange business transacted. DRAFTS granted on London, and the chief.	said Company. Should the Resolution be passed by the re-	J. ARMSTRONG,	SHIPPING Orders must be obtained from the Undersigned not later than the 15th inst.	Hongkong, 6th February, 1886. [311]	(Taking Cargo and Passongers at through rates for Cheroo, Tientsin, Hankow, and Ports.
4	Fobruary 11, QUARTA, German str., for Saigon.	commercial places in Europe, India, Australia,	quired majority it will be submitted for confirmation as a Special Resolution to a Second	Auctioneer, Queen's Road.	for shipment per steamer "JASON." BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agents,	WILLIAM DOLAN, DECEASED. DURSUANT to an Order of the Supreme	on the YANGTSZE.) THE Company's Steamship
	February 11, DIAMANTE, British str., for Manila. February 11, Amor, British str., for Shanghai.	T. JACKSON, Chief Manager. Hongkong, 31st December, 1885.	EXTRAORDINARY MEETING to be subsequently convened.	Hongkong, 11th February, 1886. (345)	Hongkong, 9th February, 1886. [292	Court of Hongkong made on the Sth day of February, 1886, NOTICE IS HEREBY	"KWONGSANG," Captain Wood, will be despatched as above
	February 11, BENALDER, British steamer, for London.	NOTICE.	Dated Hongkong. 30th day of January, 1886. JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.,	NOTICES OF FIRMS.	OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY. ONSIGNEES per Company's Steamer	GIVEN that all Persons having CLAIMS against the Estate of the above named WIL-	TO-MORROW, the 13th inst., at Four P.M. For Freight or Passage, apply to
, ,	February 11, Kowantne British steamer, for Shanghai.	RULES OF THE HONGKONG	HONGKONG AND CHINA BAKERY	NOTICE.	"ULYSSES," are hereby notified that the Cargo is being dis-	LIAM DOLAN, late of Victoria in the Colony of Hongkong, (who died at No. 48, Queen's Road Central, Victoria, aforesaid on or about the	JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., General Managers.
		1 Who business of the chara Rank will be	COMPANY, LIMITED.	O. KAVOK CHAR in our Firm CHARD	charged into Craft, and/or landed get the Godowns of the Undersigned; in both cases it	10th day of December, 1885, and to whose	Hongkong, 12th February, 1886. [350
	L'ASSENGERS.	conducted by the Hongkong and Shanghul Banking Corporation, on their premises in	OF SHAREHOLDERS in the above	on the 3rd instant. Mr. O. CHUN KAL is admitted a PARTNER.	will lie at Consignoes' risk. The Cargo will be ready for delivery from Craft or Godown on	to the Undersigned on the 13th day of January, 1886, by the Supreme Court of Hongkong in its	FOR EONDON TIA SUEZ CANAL.
100	Per Phra Chom Klao, str., from Bangkok.—3. Chinese.	Hongkong. Business hours on week-days, 10 to 3: Saturdays, 10 to 1.	Company will be hold in the OFFICES of the GENERAL MANAGERS on FRIDAY, the 19th February, 1886, at 4.30 p.m., to receive the Re-	HOP HING HONG,	Goods undelivered after the 17th instant,	Probate Jurisdiction) are hereby required to send in writing particulars of their Claims to the	"GLENARTNEY,"
	REPORTS.	OHO SIMO WILL THOU DO LOCATION AND ACTION	port of the General Mauagers for the year 1885, and to declare a Dividend.	162. Bondam Strand. 	will be subject to Rent. BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agents. Heavelone Oth Tohman, 1886	Undersigned, on or before the 8th day of August, 1886, after which time the Undersigned	Captain Mackinlay, will be despatched as above on SUNDAY, the 14th inst., at DAYLIGHT. For Freight or Passage, apply to
	The British steamer Phile Cham Blan manager	may deposit more than \$2,500 in any one year. 3.—Depositors in the Savings Bank having \$100 or more at their credit may at their option	LANE, CRAWFORD & Co., General Managers.	NOTICE.	Hongkong, 9th February, 1886. [292] FROM LONDON, PENANG, AND	will proceed to distribute the Assets of the Deceased among the persons entitled thereto	JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.
	light winds; thence light winds to 14 N.; thence strong northerly wind and moderate sea to port.	transfer the some to the Hongkong and Shang-	Hongkong, 6th February, 1886. [306]	LYS our Yok Juma and Kobe Firms.	SINGAPORE.	laving regard only to the Claims of which he shall then have had notice. Dated the 9th day of February, 1886.	EASTERN AND AUSTRALIAN STEAM.
	VESSELS ARRIVED IN EUROPE FROM PORTS	12 months at 5 per cent per annum interest. 4.—Interest at the rate of 34 per cent. per	THE HONGKONG ROPE MANUFAC- TURING COMPANY, LIMITED.	our Agents in Hongkong and China.	"GLENEARN,"	W. H. RAY,	SHIP COMPANY, LIMITED.
	IN CHINA, JAPAN, AND MANILA.	annum will be allowed to Depositors on their	一一 (種) こうしょう かんけい アス・ス・ス・ス・ス・ス・ス・ス・ス・ス・ス・ス・ス・ス・ス・ス・ス・ス・ス・	Hongkeig, 6th February, 1880. [993]	having arrived from the above Perts. Consignees of Cargo by her are hereby informed that their	337] WILLIAM DOLAN, Deceased.	ADELAIDE.
10	Laertes (s.) Shanghai Dec. 22 W. H. Starbuck Shanghai Dec. 25	5.—Each Depositor will be supplied gratis with a Pass-Hook, which must be presented with	be held at the Office of the Company, Praya Central, on SATURDAY, 20th February, at	FETHE Undersigned hereby give Notice that	Goods, with the exception of Opium, are being landed at their risk into the Godowns of the Undersigned whence and/or from the wharvesor	FITHE Undersigned begs to announce that	(Calling at Port Darwin and Queensland Ports, and taking through Cargo to New Zealand, Tasmania, &c.)
	Pandora (s.) Hongkong Dec. 25 Glenogle (s.) Shangkai Dec. 28	each payment or withdrawal. Depositors must not make any entries themselves in their Pass-	ELEVEN O'CLOCK IN THE FORENOON, for the purpose of receiving the Report of the General	LEE HON Po having RESIGNED his Con-	boats delivery may be obtained.	he is SOLE AGENT for Hongkong. China, Corea, and Japan for the Sale of	FATHE Steamship
.00	Pembrokeshire (s.). Yokohama	Books, but should send them to be written up at least twice a year, about the beginning of January and beginning of July.	Managers together with a Statement of Accounts, declaring a Dividend and electing a	7	to the contrary be given before 4.30 P.M., TO-DAY, he 6th inst.,	Hamburg, and Messrs. Schiedmayer & Co.,	"GUTHRIE." Captain Green, will be desputched for the above
	•	6.—Correspondence as to the business of the Bank if marked On Hongkong Savings Bank	Consulting Committee and Auditors.	WOH LEE.	Cargo remaining undelivered after the 13th instant will be subject to rent.	T SIDENMAN MOUTIGE,	Ports on SATURDAY, the 27th, instant, at
	(Corrected to Dime.)	Business is forwarded free by the various British Post Offices in Hongkong and China.	inclusive. RUSSELL & Co.,	OTICE is hereby given that the Business	No-Fire Insurance has been effected. Bills of Lading will be Countersigned by	THE PIANOFORTE AND MUSIC WAREHOUSE, Shanghai. 1st January, 1886. [89]	RUSSELL & Co.,
	Paul Hamburg Oct. 14 Stralsund St. Nazaire Oct. 23	7.—Withdrawals may be made on demand, but the personal attendance of the Depositor or	General Managors.	Firm of Won Lee & Company will in future be conducted under the Style of	JARDINE, MATHESON & Co. Hongkong, 6th February, 1886. [318	PUBLIC NOTICE.	Hongkong, 11th January, 1886. [349]
	Margaretha NewportOct. 22 Elizabeth Cardiff	his duly appointed Agent, and the production of his Pass-Book are necessary.	CHINA SUGAR REFINING COMPANY,	WOH LEE. Hongkong, 5th February, 1886. [304]	UNION LINE.	TOTICE is hereby given that Mr. SUNG	ELLY AND WALSH, LIMITED.
	Calistora	For the Hongkong and Shanghai Bank- ing Corporation,	LIMITED. NOTICE.	NOTICE.	FROM LONDON AND SINGAPORE.	LOONG(意路) Firm of Hongkeng and	Whitaker's Almanack, 1886. Seruton's Roman Law and the Law of England.
	Melusine Penarth Nov. 13 Gotha Hamburg Nov. 21 Sartho(s.) Penarth Dec. 4	Chief Manager.	THE EIGHTH ORDINARY ANNUAL	Mn FRANCISCO MAMEDE GON-	HE Steamship "RHOSINA."	Honam, Canton, has on behalf of himself	Dynamo Electric Machinery—Silvanus Thompson.
	Glambrganshire (s.) Hamburg		in the above Company will be held at the Office	SALVES in the Firm of Messrs. ROZARIO & Co., ceased on the 31st December last.	Captain Cartis, having arrived from the above Ports, Consignees of Cargo are hereby requested	and LI LAU TIN (全和il Hi) complied with	Forbos' Naturalist's Wanderings in Eastern Archipelago.
	Jason (s.)	CORPORATION, LIMITED.	of the GENERAL AGENUS. Peddor's Street, on SATURDAY, the 20th is that at 3 P. M. for	The Business will in fature be carried on by	signed for countersignature and to take im-	the second companies of Ordinations Nos 18 of 1872	Dukes' Every Day Life in China.
		TAUTHORISED GAPITAL	the purpose of receiving the Report of the General Agents together with a Statement of Accounts to 31st December, 1885.	as heritofore. AUGUSTO JOSE no ROZARIO.	mediate delivery of their Goods from alongside. Cargo impeding the discharge of the steamer	I distance set the filmeds Whole he the such City	to October 1995
	TO BE LET.	Registered Office, 40, THREADNEEDLE STREET, LONDON.	The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from TUESDAY, the 9th,	Hongkong, 1st January, 1886 [85] NOTICE.	risk and expense and no Fire Insurance will be effected.	Ginger and that the same has been duly regis- tered in the Register of Trade Marks at the	Malton & Dathes of theers and Markers in
	TO LET. OUSE No. 1 in Castle Road. Possession	BRANCHES IN INDIA, CHINA, JAPAN	to the 20th instant, both days inclusive. JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.,	TR. THEODOR VON DER HEYDE of	All Claims against the steamer must be pre-	Calonial Suggestions of Office in this Colonia	Infantry Sword and Carbine Sword-Bayonet Exercises.
	on First of the Month. Terms. Moderate.	THE BANK receives money on Deposit.	General Agents. Hongkong, 6th February, 18-6. [307]	BRUNO ROBERT BECKER of Hongkong,	instant, or they will not be recognized. RUSSELL & Co.,	Firm, Companies or Company, who shall either directly or indirectly anake, use, or adopt the said	Royal Warrant, Pay and Non-Effective Pay. Field Exercises:
ā	Apply at SPANISH PROCURATION.	Buys and Sells Bills of Exchange, issues Letters of Credit, forwards Bills for Collection,	LUZON SUGAR REFINING COM-	have Turs Day been admitted PARTNERS in our Firm in Hamburg and Hougkong.		Trade Mark or in any wise counterfeit, imitate, or resemble the same or shall make or cause to	Scott's Shipping Code. New Edition. Seaton's Manual of Visione Engineering.
	Hongkong, 11th February, 1886. [344	and Transacts. Banking and Agency Business generally on terms to be had on application.	PANY, LIMITED. NOTICE.	SANDER & Co. Hongkong, 2nd February, 1886. [297]	STEAMSHIP "OXUS."	be made any addition thereints or subtraction therefrom whereby to pretend themselves, him-	Almanack de Gothu, 1886.
	HOUSE TO LET.	CLAIMS ON THE ORIENTAL BANK CORPORATION PURCHASED ON	INTHE FOURTH ORDINARY ANNUAL	NOTICE	COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES MARITIMES.	self, or itself the Owners or Owner thereof without the License or Consent in writing under the hands or hand of the said Sung Shiu	Hepworth's Photography for Amatours.
7	BEDROOMS on GROUND FLOOR, and 2 BEDROOMS on Upper Floor, BATH	ADVANTAGEOUS TERMS. H. A. HERBERT.	THE CLEANING IN THE WAY ROUND COMPANY AND DESIRED	TR. PEERMAHOMED KADER pro-		PANG. KUCHI, and LI LAU TIN or some	't ine's History of English Literature.
	ROOM and KITCHEN. Water laid on. Immediate Possession could be arranged.	Manager, Hongkong Branch. Hongkong, 6th July, 1885. [7]	der's Street, on SATURDAY, the 20th February	and Mr. OOMFR MOUNDENA, under our	ONSIGNEES of Cargo from London Autworp, Havre, and Bordeaux, Ex S. S.	or one of their Executors, Admit strators, or Assigns first had and obtained, will be liable to be said by the said	John Bull's Neighbour in her true light. The DearNeighbours—MasQ'Rell's NewBook.
14	No. 29, MOSQUE STREET.		purpose of receiving the Report of the General Agents together with a Statement of Accounts	Canton.	with above Stepaner are hereby informed that	TIN OF SOUR STORE OF them or their or some	manual of information for Mercantile use.
	Hongkong, 10th February, 1886. [338]	INTIMATIONS.	to the Stat December, 1885. The TRANSFER BOOKS in the Company	Hongkong, 8th February, 1886. (329	Treasure, and Valuables, are being landed and	or one of their Executors. Administrators, or Assigns and be answerable to them or him	EELLY & WALSH, LD., HONGKONG.
	SHOPS Nos. 7 and 9, "BEACONSFIELD	LANE, CRAWFORD & Co.	both days inclusive.	(7) St 7 1	stored at their risks at the Company's Godowns whence delivery may be obtained immediately after landing.	NOTICE is also given that Mosers. PUSTAU	THEATRE COUNTY BOYAL,
	The "EYRIE," PEAK-FURNISHED. Apply to	ARE	JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., General Agents.	has for more than Twenty Years carried	Optional Cargo will be forwarded on unles	& Co. of No. 19. Queen's Road Courted Victoria. Heagkong, have been appointed the Sole Agents for the sale of the Best Preserved Ginger	
	BELILIOS & Co. Hongkong, 6th February, 1886. 1314	SPECIAL AGENTS	HONGKONG FIRE INSURANCE	wide reputation for their FLOWER SCENTED KULO PAU-CHONG, CREUNG CRONG SU-	before 4 P.M., TO-DAY (SUNDAY), requesting it to be landed here.	manufactured by the said CHY LOONS. WOTTON & DEACON.	THE HONGKONG AMATEUR DRAMATIC CLUB.
	TO LET.	FOR	COMPANY, LIMITED.	Chong, and Cheung-Chong Rosed Su-Chong,	Bills of Lading will be countersigned by the	Solicitors for the said CHY LOONG	have the konour to amounce that the
	No. 3, MORRISON HILL. Entry 1st.	WM. TEACHER & SON'S	NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.	imitated our Trade Mark and our Firm Style.	Goods remaining unlaimed after MON- DAY, the 15th February, at Noon, will be	Hongkong.	SECOND PERFORMANCE OF THE SEASON
	Apply to G. C. ANDERSON,	HIGHLAND CREAM		selling inferior Tea. On account of the above circumstances we recently Established a Branch of our Firm at 17, Bouham Strand, Hongkong,	per package per diem.	WESTBURY,	will take place,
	13, Praya Central. Hongkong, Sru February, 1886. [289	"S. B. H." e.	at the Offices of the Company, Pedder's Street,	in the house occapied by KWONG MOW TYE, in order to counteract the Traders' imita-	the 18th instant, or they will not be recognized	BEERT HILL, London, S.W.,	THURSDAY,
	TO LET.	WILISKEY,	2.30 P.M., to receive a Statement of Accounts to the Stat December, 1885, the Report of the	tion of our Brand. On the 20th March, 1885, we registered our Trade Mark according to the re-	G. DE CHAMPEAUX, Agent.	(Ex-Cussian Service and Serior Mo	when will be Performed
	OLLEGE CHAMBERS (late Hotel DE L'Univers) Single Rooms or Suites of Apartments.	WHISKEY;	General Managers, and to elect a Consulting. Committee and Auditors.	quirements of Ordinance No. 16 of 1873, so our New Trade Mars a WATCH, and it will be	Hongkong, 7th February, 1886.	(Ex-Classical Scholar and Senior Moderator in Mathematics and Physics Trinity College, Dublin,) and	TOM TAYLOR'S COMEDY
	TWO FURNISHED BUNGALOWS, PORPOGLUM.			fore our Customers will take particular Notice	-	B. VON HOHNFELDT, PH. D.,	"THE OVERLAND ROUTE."
	DAVID SASSOON, SONS & Co.	HIGHLAND CREAM "S. B. H."	of February instant, both days inclusive. JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.; General Managers.	that our Trade Mark is on the Paper, Matting, and Boxes in which the tea is packed. LEUNG SHEK WAN, HANG MEE SHOP,	are hereby notified that the Cargo is being dis	LATE SENIOR TUTOR ON THE MODERS. SIDE AT VICTORIA COLLEGE, JERSEY),	TICKETS. S2 Each, may be obtained from Messrs. Lane, Crawford & Co. on and after
	Hongkong, 7th December, 1885. [35]	LANE, CRAWFORD & Co.	makes a finish a street of the	194 Homan, Canton.	charged into Craft, and landed at the Godown of the Undersigned; in both cases it will lie a	HIGHLY QUALIFIED MASTERS,	MONDAY, 15th February.
	A FIVE ROOMED HOUSE		THE CHINA FIRE INSURANCE	NOTICE.	Consignees' risk. The Cargo will be ready for delivery from Craft or Godown on and after the 6th inst.	Receive and Prepare a limited number of Pupils, resident and non-resident, for I.—THE ARMY.	Hongkong, 11th February, 1886. [346]
	GOOD TENNIS GROUND ATTACHED	The second secon	NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.	HONGKONG AND WHAMPOA-DOCK COMPANY, LIMPTED.	Goods undelivered after the 13th inst.	, (d)—The preliminary examinations for Wool-wich and Saudhurst.	HONGKONG FLOWER SHOW.
į.	Apply to DENNYS & MOSSOP. Hongkong, 29th January, 1886. [254]	New Patent Iron Cash Boxes in gradation of	THE SEVENTEENTH ORDINARY	SHIP TAS, PERS AND ENGINEERS are	BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agents.	(b)—The Open Competition for admission to the Royal Military Academy, Woodwich	THE 14TH ANNUAL EXHIBITION
	TO LET.	sizes with good roller locks. Men's Lawn Tennis Shoes with solid rubber	the Company will be held at the Company's Office,	grassing is Harbour, note if the Companyis		and to the Royal Military College, Sand hurst.	GARDENS, on THURSDAY AND ERIDAY,
	OOMS in CLOB CHAMBERS	soles. The best and most lasting Shoes. Ladies' Tennis Shoes, new styles.	No. 45, Queen's Road, Victoria, at Things o'clock in the Asternoon of TUESDAY, the 23rd Fobruary instant, for the purpose of	Sent to the HEAD OFFICE, No. 14, Praya Central, will pective prompt attention.	CEORGE GOULE	II.—THE UNIVERSITIES. III.—THE INDIAN CIVIL SERVICE.	the 18th and 19th February, 1836.
	Apply to DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co.	Men's Calf Kid Oxford Shoes.	receiving a Statement of Accounts, and the Re-	necessary, communication with the Undersigned	CHAMPAGNE.	For further Particulars upply to the Editor Hongkong Daily Press, or to the Principals.	TELLATED TELLS SAME DESCRIPTION OF THE RESIDENCE OF A STATE OF THE RESIDENCE
	Hongkong, 1st February, 1882. [33	Men's Dancing Pumps. Ladies' Evening and Indoor Shoes in great	December, 1885. The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company	to rectify the cause of dissatisfaction.	PUSTAU & Co.,	THE RANG	should be sent in on the 17th instant. Admission:—First Day, SI; Second Day,
	TO LET. ROCKHURST, ROBINSON ROAD.	varieties. The Cyclestyle—the best method for taking a	will be CLOSED from the 10th to the 23rd inst., both days inclusive.	D. GILLIES, Secretary. Hougking, 26th August, 1885. [35	Agents. Hougkong, 18th January, 1884.	NATURAL MINERAL WATER.	20 Cents.
	Apply to	number of Copies from one writing. New Artist's Goods consisting of Water and	JAS. B. COUGHTRIE,	JARIJINE. MATHESON & Co.'s	FURNITURE WAREHOUSE.	BOTTLED IN JAPAN. PRICE \$4.50 PER CASE OF 50 PINTS.	TICKETS FOR THE FIRST DAYMAY be obtained from Lane, Crawford & Co.
	DENNYS & MOSSOP, 43, Queen's Road,	Oil Colour, Vanishes, Hog Hair and Sable Brushes, Academy Boards, &c., &c., &c.	Hongkong, 6th February, 1886. 310	PIERS AND GODOWNS, WEST POINT.	EVERY description of FURNITURE of SALE and for HIRE at Moderate Prices.	NORTON & Co.; Agents.	Schedules of Prizes can be obtained from W. M. B. ARTHUR,
	Hongkong, 25th January, 1886. 22	Great Variety of New Children's Books. A Fine New Piano, by Newfoldt.	HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI BANK. ING CORPORATION.	HESE are now in working order. Steamers	Large quantities of JAPANESE and CHI NESE CURIOS for Sale.	Hongkong, 2nd February, 1886. [278]	Hon, Sec. 1319
	Goods received on STORAGE at Moderate	Great Varieties of Cheap Books suitable for	NOTICE is hereby given that the ORDI- NARY YEARLY MEETING of the	received and stored at the Wharf, and Cargo	E. CASSUMBHOY, Opposite City Hall.	A Agents for the Sale of their Goods in Hongkong and China by Messra. J. & R. Ten-	<u> </u>
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of a hundred do not take the very slightest interest in the question of the Newspaper The LIST OF RESIDENTS now contains | Bill; but few, we think, will accept the doctrine laid down by the hon, gentleman that the importance of any subject is in direct proportion to the loss of time it involves. order, the initials as well as the surnames. Very important acts can be committed in a very brief space of time, and when questions. The MAPS and PLANS have been mostly of principle are involved the consideration of re-engraved in a superior style and brought up time does not enter into the essence of the matter at all. The objections to the Test Acts were not considered less sound because the time involved in the taking of an oath istrifling. In the same way the length of time it may take for a publisher to make a declaration before the Registrar does not touch the question whether it is necessary such declaration should be made. As the law affecting newspapers is really fer new purely from the objective and not Wednesday's meeting of the Legislative triffing nature that it is really hardly worth Council. It is satisfactory to learn that the mention. When the law also required a new Bill is being passed merely for the purpose hond with all its attendant expense and of being repealed. This scome rather a trouble there was substantial ground of strange proceeding certainly; we can only complaint, but as soon as this was mentioned suppose that it is intended as a sort of salve | the Attorney-General spontaneously remeto the wounded feelings of the Law Revision | died the injustice by an alteration in the clause Commission, whose first bantling has turned of the Bill determining the nature of the not such a very uncouth and ridiculous bird. | bond. This being done; the practical incon-To change the metaphor we may compare this | venjence remaining is, as we have said, trilearned body to our old friend Christian, Hing, though it may occasionally prove anwho fell into a Slough of Despond at the very noying. But, admitting for the sake of outset if his journey. We have little doubt, argument, that registration is accessing, then decision of the court in a case in which he was however, that their future progress will be we say that the particular provision in ques. defendant, and was sued for damages for treshaving commercial or political relations with the ting of no comparison with such an absurd anachronism as the Newspaper Bill. After this Bill has been passed it is, as we under-. . | meeting, to be repealed in favour of the in- | edly prefer to declare myself the printer and troduction of the English law, which no

The question to which the debate was al- of the real culprit or stand the consetemporary absence, or whother it should be a man of straw should be set up in his Rules of H.B.M. Supreme and other Courts in favour of the latter course, while the un - Attorney-General, "it is conceivably pos-Chefoo Convention, together with many other | done in a month, and articles might appear gentleman is at once up in arms of a seditions or obscene character, or blas- provide for all kinds of remote possibilities phemous publications might appear - such | which by no stretch of the imagination can hand than publish; and for those you could be objected to is that it transfers certain ought to be held responsible, and we ought to another who has no real claim to them. to have the means of finding who is respon- Let us suppose that the publisher of a newssuch an article can best be discovered by re- He is perfectly competent to direct his busimanent printer and publisher or requiring caution of securing reliable employes to the temporary printer and publisher to re- carry out his instructions, and he wishes to was made through the permanent printer paper. You must appoint some one else, we and publisher, whose name had remained on care not whom, as printer and pholisher, and the register during his temporary absence to this man must be given the right of defrom the colony. What argument can be ciding whether your own writings shall find

has been found absolutely effective in practice, thomselves by which the ends of justice might | equal and uniform application. be defeated. The Attorney-General, following on the same line as the Chief Justice, gives an imaginary conversation between a person who conceives himself to have been libelled (during the temporary absence of the perlawyer and the Attorney-General. Finally the Attorney-General gets hold of the permanent publisher and says to him :--"You allowed your paper to be printed in your absence without seeing that the provisions of the law as to the registration of the temporary printer were complied with, and by reason of your default in that particular an injured person who has been libelled is unable to institute a prosecution against him. Now, it is entirely your fault. 192 You can remedy the misshief by telling us who that person is, but you won't. We find you have committed a default by allowing this paper to appear without some one addressed "The Editor," and those on business "The being registered as the printer. We are now going to prosecute, you under that section." We may carry on the conversation a little further. The publisher might reply to the Attorney-General :- "You cannot prosecute me. I left on such and such a date by the Canton hoat af eight o'clock

and told the employe whom I had selected for that purpose to go to the Supreme Court and register himself as soon as the registry opened at ten o'clock. According to the sponsibility ceased when I left the colony. I am not responsible for my employe's desaid provisions had not been complied with,' but on the contrary gave express instructions that they should be com- day was of an unusually light character. There the permanent publisher might himself be the very man who had written the alleged libel, but if the locum tenens had made himself scarce, as the Hon. P. Rysis puts it, nothing more could be done in the matter, and justice, supposing a libel really bad been

committed, would be defeated. We have always understood the ponalty, however, there were still many infringepractice with reference to libels appearing in newspapers to be this: that proceedings are first instituted against the estensible printer or publisher, or both, Government has coined a new dollar for cir and that they then have the option of either culation in Tonquin in the East. Specimens disclosing the name of the real culprit or of accepting the responsibility themselves. Under this practice the public enjoys much scription, however, is different, and this it greater security than it will under the new Ordinance and pending the introduction of will say. " No wanches China side." It will be the English law. We are arguing the mata matter of public importance, whether the subjective point of view. It may be instead of 3774 grains) soon became apparent to t be interesting or not, we purpose again some little inconvenience to the temporary making a few remarks on the sub- publisher to have to go to the Supreme sent to China. It remains to be seen whether ject by way of comment on the debate at Court to register himself, but it is of such a the dollar provided by the French Government

marked by sound and valuable work admittion requiring constant changes in the registing of no comparison with such an absurd tration defeats the very object which the reon the land in dispute. The parties are lot gistration is designed to meet. The Chief holders of the neighbouring lots on the Praya Justice says :- " If I were the printer and originally occupied by McDonald's Slip. The stand from what was said at Wadnesday's publisher of a newspaper I should undoubt. ground in question was a narrow strip betweenpublisher and responsible person connected alleged the ground was part of his lot, and that longer treats journalists with contumely with the newspaper than to be dogged by he had built his godown so as to leave this nexby requiring them to give security for their a detective, and my subordinates tampered row strip for light and air. Mr. Stephens, good behaviour. The provisions in the pre- with to discover whether I am the printer was given him in his Crown lease, and sent Bill which impose this indignity on the and publisher of the paper." This is, we further that Chun Yik Cheung's godown, at one printers and publishers of newspapers were | have no doubt, the view of every publisher passed without discussion, because their con- in the colony. He publishes his name in the tion of the building which he contended onsideration came on after the understanding as | imprint to his paper and save in effect "I am to the future repeal of the Ordinance had the person responsible for everything apbeen arrived at, and the unofficial members pearing above this imprint. If you find would simply have been fighting with a any libellous, seditious, or obscene articles shadow had they offered further opposition. | in my paper I will either give you the name most exclusively directed was whether the quences myself." It is surely more to the name of the permanent printer and publisher advantage of the public to have a responsible ing that the Registrar had given ground which gehould continue on the registry during his man of this description to look to than that superseded by that of some temporary printer place every time he has occasion to leave the both the order of September and the judgment per foot. This would make a total value for this 24 tacks was the duty then levied and publisher. The Government was strongly colony for a day or two. "But," says the of March. official members were in favour of the former, sible that notwithstanding your good in That the unofficial members had all the rea- tentions the real culprit might not be forthson on their side will probably be conceded coming." In that case the man whose if we show that every single argument used | name appears in the imprint is primd facie by the Chief Justice and the Attorney-Ge- responsible. If, however, it be repugnant possession of land which they had not asked for expense. peral in favour of the registration of the to justice that this man should be punished temporary publisher is really an argument for an offence which he did not commit, been committed upon their land; they did not telling in precisely the apposite direction. the matter would simply be on the same The Chief Justice says: - "As I understand, footing as other undiscovered crimes: there is no objection taken now with regard but no crime is more easily discovered man being required to register himself when without the offenders being brought to jusacting in the absence of the printer and pub- | tice, and all this never causes the Attorney-

to printers and publishers registering them- than that of libel. Murders and robberies According to law Mr. Stephens would be enselves: the objection is taken to the fact of a are constantly being committed in the colony the property in question was of the value of lisher who is temporarily or permanently General to turn a bair, but when the subject absent. A great deal of mischief may be of libel is mentioned the learned the conditions required by law. He had filed the judgment of March, and then to both, and publications as the editor of the newspaper be classed as probabilities. The subjective perty in question was over £50 in value, or the original judgment had not been carried out. might say he would rather cut off his right ground on which the clause in question may that some title to property or civil right of He again argued that the value of the land in hardly hold him responsible. Someone rights from the person to whom they belong in the second category. sible for it." So far good. The question paper wishes to reside at Macao during the being used between the different descriptions tion of his ground. His damages must be taken tion on opium, which has developed into the pre-& Walsh, Shanghai. is whether the person really responsible for summer months for the benefit of his health. taining on the register the name of the permanent printer and publisher or requiring caution of securing reliable employes to this was a matter which would cause grave commortgagees were forced to sell as they could not bable that Lord Elgin contemplated some limit some of the memorials from the heavy import levied on it.

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Some of the memorials from the mercantile commortgagees were forced to sell as they could not gister himself. The Chief Justice, in a sub- do so. What moral right has the Govern- him. He might want to live on that piece of lot. If the lot were sold now it would be worth sequent part of the debate, mentioned the ment to step in and say, " No ; you may not fact that in two cases the really responsible continue to carry on your own business. You parties had been discovered. This discovery must cease to be the publisher of your own

conceived to tell more strongly in favour of admission to the columns of your own

always retaining the name of the permanent paper." "But,"say the Chief Justice and

which have arisen the system we contend for of enforcing their except in very exceptional slone, and with no connection to the land on either but when we come to consider the proposal few things can be more mischievous than to contained in the Billmany possibilities present pass laws to which it is not intended to give to have done, to the godowns he was building

> The British steamer Partridge went round to and the British steamer Vortigern returned from the Aberdeen docks yesterday.

The war-tax imposed on trade of all descriptions in Kwangtung during the Franco-Chinese | value, Mr. Howard. manent publisher of a newspaper) and his hostilities ceased at the commencement of the present Chinese year. The Scottish Oriental S. S. Co.'s steamer

Phra Chom Klao, which arrived here yesterday. from Bangkok, reports having passed H.M.S. Agamemnon and Audaeious off Pulo Obi. The Vigilant was not sighted.

Intelligence has reached Canton from General Fang Tze Tsoi, who has been engaged in quelling the disturbances which broke out last mouth at Ko-chau-fu, in the Kiungchau district, that more than twenty of the ringleaders have been captured and about three hundred of the rioters have been shot dead. The Chinese Authorities have a " short way " of their own in dealing with robbers and rebels.

Boycotting of the Chinese in California is sometimes attended with considerable inconvenionco to the Caucasians there, as the following, Ordinance you have introduced my rs- washhouses, and that, too, when they contained and he had a right and title to it. the week's uncleansed clothes. There is a panic. be an interregrum in the clean linen line."

The business which was brought before Mr. Wise for disposal at the Police Court yesterplied . with." At the same time perhaps were but few cases on the charge sheets, and not one of them was of sufficient importance to be worth reporting. Unlicenced hawking, assaults, street gambling, obstructions, and cracker firling, with one case of drunkenness and two brothel offences, made up the list. The maity for firing orackers increases with each day beyoud the limit allowed for the Chinese New Year celebration. It commenced at 25 cents for the first day, and has regularly risen until it has now reached \$5. In spite of the heaviness of the ments of the last in this respect to be heard

The following note appears in the commercia intelligence of a London paper:-The Freuch the new coin are to be seen in the city, and appears to be exactly the same as the Mexican dollar in weight, size, and finances. The superwhich inspires the criticism, by those who know the Chinese, that the latter will reject it; and remembered that the United States formeri coined a trade dellar for circulation in the East; but its deficiency in fineness (3712 grains the astute natives, and they reverted to the Mexican dollar, large quantities of which are still will be more successful. It is a pity in any case that the British mints are not set "to work to provide an English dollar of the same kind.

> SUPREME COURT 'lith February.

IN, APPEAL BEFORE THE FULL COURT.

CHUN YIR CHEUNG AND OTHERS V. M. J. D. STEPHENS. Mr. Stephens appeared in person to apply for leave to appeal to the Privy Council against the West, that of Mr. Stephens being the ground the two lots, about 2ft. 2in. in its widest part. and tapering to a point. Chun Yik Cheung his land. He proceeded to cut away that porinjuction and damages were awarded in March. pealed to the Full Court against the order which was given upon that report in September, claimwas not in accordance with the judgment of the Court. The appeal, however, was dismissed. The present motion was so worded as to include

peared to oppose the application. . Mr. Stephens stated that be appeared in perin the original summons which they took out in the first instance. They stated that a trespass had

.The Chief Justice interrupted Mr. Stephens observing that it was not necessary to go over upon complying with the conditions of the law. that value was directly or indirectly involved. Mr. Stephens submitted that his case came with-

. The Chief Justice thought they would have to be taken together. Mr. Stephens submitted that the word "or" I implied that they were to be taken separately: title that he should have the strip of ground in for this piece of land. question. It was now separated from the building which he contracted to have put up, and instead of being a rectangular building, it was now askew. "Leaving all this out of the question,

was worth far more than £500. The Chief Justice asked Mr. Stephens whe an entirely suppositious case. ther he thought its market value would be £500. this pregnant fact? In the only two cases the provisions of the law there is no intention merely by itself to be worth that, as such a strip Mr. Stephens said that if their Lorships re- extent of the taxation, there is the testimony of being exposed to the unchecked caprices of the

cases." To this we have only to reply that side, would be valueless. Taking that strip of adding it as he had intended, and contracted there, he would have been able to store upon it so many tons of cargo, and he could show that

would have liked the Government valuers to have to that required—£500. valued the whole of the lot at the value which had been put upon it by his witness as to the

be shown by his books, which had been kept in dispute: above ten cents per ton. He had put it to the value of the property. at the lowest figure. The land would have yielded him that return dealt with in the way he had proposed to deal with it, and that was the way he valued it, and he submitted he was entitled to value it upon that basis. Mr. Stephens cited the case of the St. Panoras Guardians from Fisher's Digest, upon which he said, he was entitled to claim the possible as well as the actual value. He had, however, only claimed the actual value. This was more than

£500, as he could show by what the ground had An appeal against a magisterial decision was realised to him during the less than six months Rev. Dr. Macdonald, of Fatshan, and I should fixed to be heard yesterday morning at the Su. that the building had been inquese. The go- take charge of the next relief party which was preme Court, but for some reason the appeal was down had been filled as soon as it had been built, to visit the suffering districts of Kwantung, the postponed. The appellants are two Chinese, and there had been inquiries as fo the other part Rev. J. W. Pearce undertaking to superintend father and son, who were some time ago fined even before the roof was on. Had this piece of the loading of four native boats with, 1.00 \$200 each for keeping a gambling house in ground been built upon from the time he first Chinese winter jackets and 500 piculs of rice Queen's-road West, a house which was raided obtained the right to it, the space afforded would Mr. Pearce having completed his share of the P.S. Butlin, and in which some men were ar. have been full months and months ago. The work, we were ready to leave Canton on January rested and punished as gamblers. It was alleged loss had been very great to him, more than their 20th at noon, but were delayed owing to the before the magistrates that the elder prisoner Lordships were aware; some day it might be launches which the Vierroy, as on previous ocwas the keeper of a number of gambling houses made apparent to them what his loss really was. casions, had promised to lend us, not arriving the value of the land in the market.

from the Alta of the 9th ult., will show :-- "San market value. Those godowns were very valu- fashion-slowly but surely-and with native Jose is caught out without a change of linen. able, and the loss of this piece of ground was a boatmen, against wind and tide we proceeded up The enforcement of the anti-laundry ordinance serious and a grievous loss to him. It was land the North River to Tai Tong. This market against the Chinese has suddenly closed all their which had been given him by the Government, town we made the basis of our operations, and The owners of the clothes have to go and get decided against you. You had better confine usual way assisted many who were in great disthem, and though the Anti-Coolie League is yourself to your application. We are quite tress. It is needless to say that the aid was fault, in not registering. I did not 'cause bestirring itself for the organization of a white ready to give you leave to appeal, and we are gratefully accepted, and as needless to observe

the paper to be printed knowing that the laundry on the co-operative plan, this week will not at all disposed to make any objection to it if that the means at our disposal were inadequate you can show that your application comes within to relieve the great destitution. We did our the requirements of law. The only question is best, however, to select the places thad had whether the ground is of the required value. the land upon the basis stated, and that its value exceeded £ :00.

riginally gave for the land, and its extent. Mr. Stephens said \$60,000, simply for the bare land; he had pulled down what buildings were upon it to make way for godowns. The totshares was 32,820 feet. The Chief Justice said that upon that price

the value of the strip of land in question was a triffe over \$2 per foot, which would not give nearly the necessary value to the property in Mr. Stephens-I bought it to build upon.

to consideration, the question was what was the 18th July last is attracting the notice of the bare value of the land. Mr. Stephens contended that the value to be taken was what the land would realise when

he could give any authority in support of that from the period of the trade in it being legalised contention. There had been cases before the in 1858, till the present time, will be needed to Privy Council, but he could find no such ruling, thoroughly appreciate the important disadvantnor was there anything of the kind in the Privy | age of the arrangement now assented to by Her

Mr. Stephens again referred to the section he | In the report on the revision of the Tariff, quoted above. Mr. Justice Russell said that if Mr. Stephens | their interviews at Shanghal with the repreread the section correctly he would see that the sentatives of the Imperial Chinese Commiissue involved must be up to the value of sioners, in pursuance of the Treaty of Tientsi.

directly affected to that extent. Mr. Stephens again urged his contention as treaty regulations are carefully described. In to the construction to be put upon the wording the Treaty of Tientain itself the opium trade of the section, but he said, in answer to the has been entirely ignored, and as Hsieh, the court, that he had no authority to offer other Chinese Superintendent of Customset Shanghai, than the one mentioned above.

sions to the contrary. Mr. Stephens again urged that even taking Treaty when it was signed. It was therethe value of the land without any civil right fore urged by the Chinese representative that affected the value was over £500. He made the we should not seek to regulate the duty contention on the same grounds, and further now to be imposed upon it by the 5 per cent. neged that the altered shape of the building and valorem principle under Art. XXVI.; and necessitated by the loss of this piece of ground that we should not apply to it the privilege. might cause most serious injury to him. Its of Art. XXVIII., under which it would be rectangular proportions were lost, and it might clear of all taxation in transitu exceeding 21 per prevent his putting on machinery or anything. | cent. ad valorem ; nor the privilege of Art. IX. His Lordship-Suppose you put the matter under which the foreigner with a passport would

Mr. Stephens said he could not go into that general tariff, but was to be the subject of a pass by Chun Yik Chenng and others, and for question, and he again urged his former contention as to value. He said he had considered the interdict; and he added that the duty should be matter very carefully. The Chief Justice—You have apparently con-

sidered the matter without being prepared with posed to place on the drug, declined naming the any authorities. Mr. Stephens saidthat if their Lordships were ment was made by the British deputies of what not satisfied with the evidence of value he had

add seed he would file further affidavits. Mr. Francis said he had filed no affidavits as data before Lord Elgin, a duty of from 15 to 20 to value, and he went on to contend that there tasksperchest would be a fair rate on the idealorem. was no matter for appeal, on the ground that the principle. This, they repeated, could not apply on the other hand, alleged that the ground order with reference to which Mr. Stephens to opium, which must be treated in every way stated in his petition he asked leave to appeal per se. They added that they wished the rate against was not a final order. As to the new fixed to be guaranteed in perpetuity, which corner actually encrosched to a small extent on original judgment delivered on the 6th March, was objected to. It may not be amiss to observe 1885. Mr. Stephens was not now in a posi- here that had the Chinese proposal as to the tion of the building which he contended on tion to make an appeal. He had given no perpetual fixed rate of duty on opium been agreed crosched upon his ground, and this was the first tice of motion on the 19th March, but he had to by Lord Elgin, all the succeeding and present ground of the proceedings. The case occupied subsequently abandoned it. By his subsequent arrangements for increased duties would have some days in hearing, and was finally decided proceedings against the order of September Mr. been prevented by anticipation. The Chinese against Mr. Stephens, against whom a perpetual Stephens practically accepted the previous judgalso proposed that in any future revision of of such a valuable weakness in its new acquainty
stephens, against whom a perpetual Stephens practically accepted the previous judgalso proposed that in any future revision of of such a valuable weakness in its new acquainty
the fariff, the revision of the opium duties ance. It did not immediately set to work to 1885. The Registrar of the Court fixed the the subsequent order was not in accordance with should be special; China consenting never boundary as defined by that order, and his report that judgment. Mr. Francis, after some argu- to raise it above 10 per cent, upon value. After was confirmed by the Court. Mr. Stephens ap ments upon this point, proceeded to the question exposing certain difficulties in the way of allowof value, and he argued that Mr. Stephens's ing the carriage of opium into the interior by valuation could not be entertained. The fair foreigners, which were recognised by the British value for the Court to take was the value of the deputies, the Chinese, apparently more in joke land at the time the action was taken. That was | then in earnest, named 60 taels, and then 40 taels, represented fairly by the price Mr. Stephens a chest, and finally proposed 30 taels. The paid for his lot, which was at the rate of about 32 British deputies pointed out the fact that stripof ground \$605; adding to that the amount road by the native authorities at Shanghai, Mr. Francis, instructed by Mr. Caldwell, ap. of damages which had been awarded against and that they were therefore justified in as-Mr. Stephens, the amount would be brought up suming that the Chinese Government would not to \$1,100 or \$1,200. This, he submitted, must have fixed on that sum had the trade been calson to make a motion that he should be granted be taken as the value of the land in dispute. culated to bear a highter. After discussion about leave to appeal to Her Majesty's Privy Conneu Mr. Stephens, in his valuation, treated the land | the possible disadvantages resulting from the imin this suit. The last order made by the Court in question as if he was actually in possession of position of too high a duty, it was at last agreed on the 7th September last gave the plaintiffs it, and he had built a godown upon it at a heavy to put down 30 taels per chest as the duty to be

The Chief Justice—And always had it full. Mr. Justice Russell—He has valued it upon superficial value. A large amount of conversation followed be-

tween Mr. Stephens and the court as to which the ground of the order for reasons for appeal. order or judgment he w bed to appeal against. Mr. Stephens first said that he would appeal titled to leave to appeal if he could show that against the order, and then, if that was decided in his favour he should be in possession of the £500. If that could be shown any man had the land in question. He should then appeal against right to appeal upon any ground he pleased, the judgment of March, which had condemned him in damages. Subsequently he confined his Mr. Stephens said he had complied wi'h all appeal to the order of September alone, then to in that time, and that the petitioner would be Court given in November, dismissing his appeal question was more than £500, and that he was entitled to value it upon the basis stated. With regard to that land he was in the position of an owner of land in some highly valuable position through which a railway was to be constructed, and who was compelled to part with a porupon the same basis as those of such an owner. This was a matter which affected his title to the He urged that the price he paid for the land was ground, and it was very important to the whole the plaintiff in the suit had offered him \$1,500 The Chief Justice said he did not want to

know anything that was not in evidence. Mr. Justice Russell pointed out that on the however, he would contend that the piece of land strip of ground in question there was no build-

Mr. Stephens said the piece of land was worth positious case, it was what he had done with the sit duty." printer and publisher on the register than the Attorney-General, "although these are 2500. Of course the strip could not be taken rest of the land. After some further argument. As regards Lord Elgin's anticipation on the memorial expressly called attention to opining

quired any further evidence as to the value of. the land he would obtain it. The Chief Justice-You ought to have come

Mr. Stephens said he had come prepared so far as he thought it necessary. The Chief Justice-We shall have to refuse this strip was thus worth to him a great deal your application, Mr. Stephens. You would be more than £500.

The Chief Justice asked Mr. Stephens how he vember, 1885, if the amount in dispute were equal limit contemplated by Lord Elgin while assent-Mr. Stephens-I will ask leave to produce

further evidence as to that. The Chief Justice-You can renew your ap-Mr. Stephens said he did not want it; he plication if you think fit. We are not satisfied claimed at the rate of ten cents a ton for every that your application comes within the requireton that could be put upon the land. It could ments of the rules laid down as to the property correctly and strictly ever since cargo had been | Mr. Stephons intimated that he should renew

put in the godowns, that the space had realised his application and produce further evidence as

THE KWANGTUNG INUNDATION RELIEF FUND

The following letter has been handed to us for publication by the Hon. Secretary to the above fund, Mr. J. H. Stewart-Lockhart;-

CANTON, 30th January. A fortuight ago it wis arranged that the The Chief Justice-The question is what is We waited two days when we were informed that no launches were available for us. Mr. Stephens urged that the value he put we had to make a start without them. We upon it on the ten cents per ton basis was the commenced our journey in the usual Chinese thence, on both sides of the river, we personally The Chief Justice-That has already been visited about 80 villages, of all sizes, and in the suffered most, many of which lay at the very foot Mr. Stephens again urged his right to value of the hills forming the background of the plain. After baving distributed the rice, jackets. and a few dollars to the most needy, in which His Lordship asked Mr. Stephens what be we were assisted by the elders of the villages, we returned on the 27th January to Canton.

> THE ANGLO-CHINESE OPIUM TEKIN AGREEMENT.

The following able letter from Choice has been addressed to the London Daily News :— As the opium agreement concluded between His Lordship said that could not be taken in- Lord Salisbury and the Marquis Tsing on the local public press. I beg permission to make some remarks on the subject through the columns of your influential journal, premising, however, that Majesty's Government.

drawn up by Messrs. Olyphant and Wade after 2500, or that a right or title was directly or in- the initiatory steps taken towards settling the duty to which opium would be liable under the pointed out in the discussion on the trade re-The Chief Justice said there were many deci- gulations legalising the traffic in it, opium was not an article within the cognizance of the in the reverse way, and the dispute was how be at liberty to carry his own opium; and that It is by no means certain that the Chinese Goseparate declaration, relieving the trade of its made as moderate as possible. The Chinese having been asked to state what duty they proamount of duty to be levied until a statewould be considered a reasonable duty on their side. They were informed that according to the

evied. There was some reconsideration of this question a few days afterwards, owing to some proposal to reduce the proposed ten duties to 2 taels its cubic enclosed space rather than upon its provided the English deputies consented to raise the duty on opium to 32 tacks per chest; but the Chinese declared that they would rather indeed admit the latter at its present fee of 24 tacks a chest than give up the tael on tea. It tran- nine million pounds sterling; and taking this as spired on this occasion that the Chinese had communicated to Mr. H. N. Lay some days before that they had been about to raise the fee on opium, whether legalised or not, from 24 tacls to 34 taels per chest; but such proposal was Alcock told Prince Kung that " a day of reckonnever seriously entertained. After thus settling finally that the import

duty on opium was to be Tls. 30 a picul. it was his petition within 14 days of the order. He proceeded to read the law on the subject, which ties set forth that the petition must be lodged withdescribed as transit dues, would be arranged as entitled to appeal if he could show that the pro- against the order of September, contending that the Chinese Government might see fit, thus acquiescing on the part of the British Government that nothing was definitely settled as to the amount of interior taxation to which opium might become liable, and that the Chinese Government was free to tax opium as it liked. It may be justly remarked that such a concession taxation on opinm, and a good deal of official corwas impolitic on the part of Lord Elgin, as it respondence took place on the subject. It was opened the door to arbitrary and excessive taxasent extravagant duty permitted to be levied by the recent agreement. It may be legitimately the British Government to ameliorate the ground vor materially. He was only a lessee not a fair basis of valuation. As a matter of questioned whether the permission thus inserted position of British-produced opium and replications, as the whole of the land which had get their interest or anything, and when he to opium interior taxation whon he signed the munities at the ports of China positively rebeen leased to him would be required back from bought it he was told he had got a very cheap regulations. It is even probable that the Chi- quested Sir R. Alcock to give his attention to nese at that time had in view a maximum duty this grievance. Thus the British community of ground; it might be the only piece of ground far more-\$85,000 or \$100,000. He might tell which could be properly levied on the drug. Tientain, in their memorial to Sir R. Alcock in left. He might always be upon that piece of his Lordship that before this action was taken. This is borne out as regards the Chinese Gov- 1861, submitted for the consideration of the ernment by a passage in a letter from a Chinese | British Minister "that in the last treaty the inofficial to his superiors at Canton, giving troduction of opium had been curbed by restricthem information as to what had been agreed to | tions imposed nominally with a view of lessening between China and the British Minister, which its consumption, but that time had shown that Mr. Parkes found at Shektsing among the pa- such restrictions had failed in this object, pers of the Gall-Lieavy Committee in that city, and the memorial therefore recommended that and which can be seen in p.p. 475-8 of Lord with respect to the transit of opium to the ing erected, and Mr. Stephens was going upon Floin's "Special Mission." The letter states: interior, no exception should be made between it

Opium, it was rumoured, would be legalised at and other foreign goods." This memorial emitted Mr. Stephens submitted that it was not a sup- 30 taels per picul import duty and 15 taels tran- to point out the very extortionate taxation on

Sir T. Wede in his Memorandum on the Rovison of the Treaty of Tientsin written in Decomber, 1863. In it he pertinently remarks that the freedom of the native authorities to tax the drug in transitu at what rate they pleased has been without doubt abused. As Sir T. Wade claimed the singular advantage of knowing Lord Elgin's mind on the transit duties regulated by ing to Rule V., or else Sir T. Wade would never have imputed an injustice to the Chinese Government, as his above words convey, inasmuch as he charges them with having abused Lord Elgin's concessions regarding transit dues on Whatever may have been the original views

and intentions of Lord Elgin and the Chinese

Government in such an arrangement, there can be

no doubt that the chief gainers by it were the Chi-

nese, and that the advantages thereby obtained

by British commerce were insignificant and in-

adequate as compensation for the advantages

which the British Government gave to China in

the shape of a legitimized large revenue secured

by treaty. It has been often urged in the opium

controversy that British commerce received a

most valuable concession and advantage from the fact of the trade in opium being legalised. and that this was worth any price the Chinese Government chose to impose as a condition of the legalisation. This, however, is at variance with the facts of the case. Haich, the Chinese Commissioner, speaking in the name of his Government, admitted the necessity of a change, which was equivalent to admitting its advantage to China. Lord Elgin, in his reply to British merchants in Jahuary, 1859, p. 457 (Lord Elgin's special mission Blue book) expressly states, "The effect of the change on the ixterest of the trade itself will be. I believe, either trifling or nil. I am satisfied that the barren announcement by a foreign Government of its assent to the principle that the trade in opium is illegal is productive of nothing but mischief; that it is a delusion and a snare both to the Chinese and those who have commercial dealings with thom. In my recent discussions with the Chinese Imperial Commissioners I have merely sought to induce them to bring the trade in opium from the region of fiction into that of fact, and to place within the pale of law, and therefore under its consold and taxed by them beyond that pale." It was therefore no concession to the British Government when China legalised the opium trade, but on the contrary China had the greatest gain in the matter, both political and fiscal. Just as much opium would have been sold in China without the legalisation; China was relieved of all the expenses and dangers of thwarting a contraband trade, and obtained an immediate legalised revenue of Tls. 2,000,000 a year, while without the legalisation she would probably not have got half the amount. The actual situation of the opium trade at the period of the Treaty of Tientein, inits relations towards the Chinese Government, is so little known, and throws so much light on what has been above stated, that it is almost imperative here to recall it to mind. The U.S. Pronipotentiary, Mr. Reed, in a letter dated the 13th September, 1853, to Lord Elgin, states:-"The opium question in its present position is most discreditable to all parties political and individual. In my intercourse with the Chinese Commissioners in the north, I stated that the U. S. Government would sustain any lawful attempt their Government made to suppress the traffic. I have said something to the same effect to the Tao-t'ai here, but in both instances the suggestion met with no response. Be the reason milt upon.

The Chief Justice asked Mr. Stephens whether cumstances connected with the tax stion on oplum any consideration, and my deliberate judgment was, and is, that the trade must go on as it is. with all the mischief and disgrace, unless Your Excellency, will undertake to adjust and regalate it." Mr. Reed even qualifies the opium trade as an inconvenient masquerade under which the Chinese laws were virtually abandoned; and he pdd4:" Should opium be entered regularly at a vistom House and the duty paid there, the

it be remembered, would not be more I than it is now." Mr. Roed enclosed hard Elgin's perusal a letter from one of most intelligent American merchants, in Shanghai on the opium question, certain passages from which are here introduced as helping to. throw still more light on the question. The writer of the letter asserts that the opium trade, though an irregular traffic, is practically

"The Chinese Government appears to be as inclined to tolerate as the English Government is to encourage the infraction of its laws about opium. For of late not only have no steps been taken to check the trade, but at several of the ports the imperial efficers have publicly prescribed a specific duty on the article.

"At this port there is a Board of Trade commissioned by the Tao t'ai which collects a duty of 24 tasks on every chest landed "Nothing is better known than these facts. vernment is so anxious to suppress, the use of opium in its dominions as has been supposed. A prominent argument against it in 1839 was that it abstracted silver from the empire. But since 1853, when silver began again to flow into China, this argument has lost some of its weight."

Such was the real situation of the opium trade in its relation to the Chinese Government. There was no case of hardship involved; and ofwhich China complained. China was not only indifferent to the trade being legalised, except in view of the large revenue it anticipated by legally admitting it, but even turned a deaf ear to any serious proposals for suppressing it; and when the British Government agreed to submit to an import duty on opium, and a further undefined interior taxation on it, this was clearly a boon bestowed by Great Britain without reciprocal material advantages.

The Chinese Government evidently perceived the easy character of the British Government, and it has not ceased ever since to make the most of such a valuable weakness in its new acquaintask for an-increase of import duty on opium, but it tried the generosity of the British Government in another direction as soon as it could decently advance its purposes after conclusion of the war and treaty. It obtained the -assent of the British Government to the payment of export duties on produce not exported to foreign place but on what was carried from one port of China to another in the home trade; and encouraged by this first sacrifice of British interests, it obtained the fatal and leoble concession from Lord Elgin's immediate successor on the subject of the coast trade duties—the permission of such an impost, not provided by Treaty, being levied on coastborns cargo to the detriment of British shipping interests in China. Then came the frequent violations of the Tientsin Treaty regarding transit dues, which Sir R. Alcock, in a letter, declared amounted to millions yearly that had been unjustly levied on British commerce, and which Sir T. Wade in his memo, admitted to have prostrated our trade. Sir R. Alcock; in a letter to Prince Kung in 1867, declared that the amount of lekin unjustly levied on the foreign trade of China was in 1866 the basis of a calculation for the time from 1861 to 1885, or nearly a quarter of a century, it will appear that an immense amount of reparation is due by China to Great Britain, for which Sir R. ing must come for this-flagrant and persistent disregard of all treaty rights and obligations by Chinese authorities." In the Memorandum for not a treaty right at all, and when conceded was: an excess of liberality that could neither have been claimed nor expected except under the very exceptional circumstances which led to it."

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local authorities, and complained of the opprossiveness of the taxation imposed under such A circumstances, amounting in some instances to w 120 tacks a picul-or four times the import duty on on the article. Other memorials made requisi- vi tion that the Chinese Government should be se provailed upon to allow the removal of the t restrictions which, by the abnoxious Rule 5 respecting trade and transit dues, are imposed

on opium. community with the situation of opium taxes was for it. He used three words in ten lines, the nearly universal, and demends were made for other day, of which I did not know the meaning. remedial measures towards lessoning the burden | I went to the dictionary, but they weren't there. of taxation from which British-produced opium Probably, as you suggest, Splashpen had taken was suffering. These demands of the British | them." merchants were ignored by Sir R. Alcook, and had no effect on the revision of the Tientsin Treaty. Their opinions were asked, but were not noted upon. Sir T. Wade, in his memorordinary, but as even legitimate. Sir Thomas Wade, commenting on the inland duties, states that he would consent to the levy of the half tariff duty proposed by Sir R. Alcock in his new that Lord Elgin objected to opium being in- accident? Bless me ! Where ! " oladed amongst the commodities we were to carry land." It should be remarked here that the own head. increase of import duty on opium provided for in the revised treaty would be com- There is in London a self-styled literary man, wounds of all three had been thoroughly pensated for by certain concessions to British who is remarkable for his indifference to soan conterized immediately after the bites were in-Trade on the part of the Chinese Govern-land water. A young lady was very much dis- flicted. The two children that stayed at home ment; and as Sir T. Wade mentions nothing gusted on being asked if there was any truth in died of rabies while the one which was treated specially about the increase of duty, it the rumonr that she was engaged to be married by M. Pesteur is alive and well. may be assumed that he acquiesced in it to him. "Accept his hand!" said the lady, deprovided his own recommendations regarding cisively and epigrammatically-"accept his . They do queer things in Switzerland, consideronium were carried into effect, and that he was | hand! Why, I would not even shake his hand |ing that the Swiss enlogize their country as "the on the side of some change in the mode of without a previous course of Turkish baths on dealing with opium, provided some favourable this part and a subsequent course on mine." advantage accrued from it to British trade in-

strongly resented by the Governments of all baried. countries interested in the trade with China. unless it could be shown that they would obtain some compensating advantage of a very undoubted character and fully equivalent in value to 7th December, 1868, it is stated: "The Prince (Kung) now wishes to increase the duties on tea, silk, and opium, and to fix all other duties at s uniform rate of five per cent, and valorem." The Prince's suggestion is either to double the threw him headlong out of the passage-way. duties on tea, silk, and opium, leaving the other rates unaltered, or not to increase the duties on tes or opium, but to fix all other duties at an ad valorem duty of five per cent.

Sir R. Alcock, in a latter to Lord Stanley, 6th December, 1868. No. 76, summing up all that had been discussed and proposed referring to the revision of the Treaty, says, " The following may be taken as the bases which the Yamen are disposed to assent to for a revision of the Treaty: to equalize all duties to an average of five per cent. if Hor Majesty's Government decline to consent to the duties being doubled on tos, silk, and opium." ... 🐴 🦠 The doubling of the duty on opium was not

assented to; but the increase conceded was 20 tasis a chest, or equivalent to Tis. 1,400,000 a year on 70,000 cheets imported at that time—a yery substantial addition to the Chinese revenue. It was at the same time also stipulated that opium was to be dealt with in accordance with the special rules respecting that drug, no affeviation being made in the tax on opium remarks:-"The increase will only amount bear it. The consumption will not be decreased a single cance, and the tax will full on the Chinese consumer." British interests, however, were to be sacrificed in the transaction, and when comparison is drawn between the gain derived by the Chinese and the prospective advantages. promised to British trade in return, it will be evident how much British interests were to suffer by Sir R. Alcock's concessions. He says -" In exchange, China will give bouled warehouses which some merchants have called for so loudly, will commence to work two or three coal mines, will reduce the duty on native coal, will do away with the troublesome tea bonds, will put a tug in the Poyang Lake, and will permit British merchants to go in their own boats wherever their business calls them."

Now the only gain to British trade by having bonded warehouses would be the saving of interest on duties paid until the goods were sold: and assuming that the average time which goods would remain unsold in the bonded warehouses would be six months, there would only be a saying of interest at 8 per cent. per annum, or 4 par cant. for six months, on Tls. 1,685,265, which and when this is compared with the positive gain bothought him of an expedient. By his direcof 20 taels on 53,915 chests of opium imported tions, a clerk, having hested some sovereigns in in 1868-Tis. 1.078,300-there would have been a frying-pau, paid them over the counter to an dalen College, Oxford, he was caught in some a disadvantage to British trade of over a million anxious applicant.—"Why, they're quite hot! of taels a year. It was, however, provided in said the latter, as he took them up.—" Of course," promptly knocked down the "buildeg" and ran Rule 5 of the supplementary rules explaining was the reply; "what else could you expect? for home. He thought that he had been recogthe revised Convention that "where sufficient They are only just out of the mould. We are mised, and feared that he would be sent down for reasons for the non-establishment of such bonded coining them as fast as we can."-"Coining a year. He went to an old chap who kept a warehouses exist, they will not be introduced," them!" thought the rustic. "Then there is no chemist shop opposite Magdalon gate (who is which rendered the bonded-warehouse system fear of the money running short."-With this now doing penal servitude, by the way), and dependent on the judgment of the Chinese Go- their confidence revived, the panic abated, and asked him if he could imitate a black eye, vernment, and therefore agentain

The opening of coal mines would have been so venue, and of so little adventage to British trade, Sandringham is Mr. Keily, one of the minor black eye." "Well, sir, the only way I knows that it could not be accepted as a set-off for the | canons of St. Paul's, who is a good preacher other disadvantages that Rritish interests would and has a powerful and melodious voice. It is have suffered from the increased duty on opium, and was therefore beneath consideration.

(To be Continued.) OLLA PODRIDA.

Chang, the Chinese giant, put \$25,000 in an Australian gold mine and lost it.

The final effort to settle the Dilke scandal has failed, and the hearing of the case has been fixed for January 29.

celebrated tenor, Mirato, whose performance in that the wax might otherwise have fallen upon sayin', Joe, will ye tak' our Susy?" was the Bellini's opera "Il Pirata," more than half a her, bonnet and dress. "Oh, yes," replied opening chapter of a little romance which unded century ago, made the young composer all at H.R.H.; laughing, "that was all very well, Mr. vory happily not long since. Or the young once famous. Mirato must have been over 80 Kelly, but oh, the smell and the smoke." Mr. man's mother goes a courting for him, and, as years of age.

Andres Avelino Caceres, the new Peruvian Dictator, is of mixed Spanish, American and Indian blood. His father was a Chilian, his mother a Peruvian mixed blood. He has been in the army from youth, and received a fine military education in German and French engineering schools.

Portugal claims to have the largest grapevine in the world. It is growing at Ovs. and has been bearing since 1802. Its greatest yield was in 1864, when it produced grapes enough to make 165 gallons of wine. It covers an area of 5,315 square feet, and the stem at the base is six and one half feet in circumference.

Bradstreet has classified a list of the boycotts for the last two years. There were 237 boycotts begun, including 41 against Chinese and 45 against newspapers. The boycotters claim success in 99 cases, including 13 newspapers and 40 Chinese cases. They admit losing 24 cases, including 10 newspapers and I Chinese. There are 114 cases still on.

the head, induces sleen.

"Wonder where Splashpen gets the big words he uses so plentifully in his writings?" "Out The dissatisfaction of the British mercantile of the dictionary, of course." "That accounts

An old Scotch lady was told that her minister nsed notes; she disbelieved it. Said one: "Go into the gallery and see." She did so, and saw andum, viewed the recommendation of the mer- the written sermon. After the luckless preacher chants with appreciation, and they may thus be had concluded his reading on the last page, he considered as not having been improper or extra- and I will not enlarge." The old woman said: "But I will not enlarge." The old woman called out from her lefty position; "Ye canna, ye canna, for your paper's give cot!

treaty on all imports landed at Newchwang, pro- an old gentleman whom he had accidently kicked vided that opium were cleared inland—not only in "I beg pardon, sir," "Eh?" said the deaf old Manchuris but throughout the empire—in the gentleman. "I bay your pardon, sir," repeated same manner as all other imports; and he adds, the polite stranger, now slightly embarrassed. "I urge this concession regarding our opium for "I don't quite understand you," he said mildly. one and the same reason, that trade and taxation "I beg your pardon, I kicked you." "What will be regularised thereby." He then mentions for production of the stranger. "An

"After ten years' experience I am of opinion time ago, was so parsimonious that, seeing his of M. Pasteur's discovery of a cure for hydrothat the consumer will be morally none the worse servant one day with a smart-looking hat, he rephobia is furnished by the case of three children if we do become carriers of opium inland, and that primanded him for his extravagance.—"But it of Tourcoing, near the Helgian frontier. All it would pay us to allow a more liberal rate of is the old hat you gave me; I had it ironed for ware hitten by the same does and there was a tariff duty"—doubtless alluding to the proposed a franc."—"Indeed," said the Marquis, "I did import duty of 50 taels assented to by Sir R. not know it could be restored. Here is the france

Dickens and Landsear—the author and artist How the proposed increase of opium duty -were dining together, when a servant entered from 30 to 50 taels was initiated is not clear. In and calmly inquired, "If you please, Sir Edwin, a communication to the Tsung-li Yamen, 5th | did you order a lion?" The horror of Dickens September, 1868, Bir Rutherford Alcock sug- may be imagined -- the gardens of the Zoological gested that opium was an article of luxury which | Society not being far distant; but it was no live might have a considerable increase of duty, so as lion that the servant was inquiring about. One even to double the present revenue, without pro- of these noble animals had recently died at the bably diminishing in any perceptible degree the gardens, and the managerie authorities wished demand or consumption; but he prudently add- to know whether Sir Elwin desired-as he freed that any such increase would probably be quently did-to sketch the carease, before it. was there is any other country in Europe where such

A telegram in an American paper dated Lonbody after death has been proposed by M. Kerdon, Dicember 29th, Stys:-M no. Marie Roze appeared in "Carman" at Bridford last night. govatz, a chemist of Brest. His system is an what they might lose. This suggestion seems A "masher," who by some manns had gained an antiseptic one, stated to be much simpler and to have been seized by the Chinese Government, ontrance to the passage leading to the prime less expensive than the old process of embulming, for in the Tsung-li Yamen's memorandum (p. donna's dressing room, made his way to a window and is nothing more than a new galvanoplastic 232, Ravision of Tientsin treaty Blue book) of looking into the room and began to scrape the application. The body is coated with a conductwhite coating from the glass. While thus ing substance, such as plumbago, or is bathed engaged he was discovered by Mr. Carl Rosa's with a solution of nitrate of silver, which, after valut, an athletic young min, who administered to the introder a severe threshing and then

> Poor Hugh Conway must have worked marvallously hard daring the last two years of his ife if one may judge from the extraordinary number of stories published as his work since his death. The end has probably been reached at again plated with gold or silver, according to the last, however, and it is appropriate that the ustive city of the author of "Called Back" should be the scene of the publication of his last long novel. This story is called "Living or Dead." and was written specially for the Bristol Times and Mirror at a cost of £1,000. The plot is a yery sensational one and the mystery suggested by the title is exceedingly well sustained.

At a recent reception held by Baroness Burdett-Coutts Patti sang the "Letter Aria" from Don Juan," after having expented several brayura pieces. At its close a small old lady stepped up to her and said: "In floritura none can equal you, but Mozart seemed harried to me in vove interpretation. Now, that you may not famby I speak of your singing as the blind man ing on this increase of the duty on opium, deas of colours, I will meation my name: Jenny Lind Goldsohmidt." M no. Patti seemed slightly to 2) per cent. (on its cost), and opium can well bear it. The consumption will not be decreased by this cool cansure, but quietly without being dressed in this manner; half of China Sugar Refining Company, Limited—389 without being dressed in this manner; half of China Sugar Refining Company, Limited—389 without being dressed in this helmet and the other half per share. singer. Grandfather used to speak of you." are lodged in my boots, which are indispensable China Sugar Reliain Company (Debentures)— Captain Edwards, will be despatched as above After this reply Jonny Lind returned to her to me when I write my love scenes." place at the hostess' side without another word.

> did not obey her instantly she would have her flagged by her serfs. The teacher replied with perfect composure: 'Have it done, thoroughly then, madame; for, if I die not under the lash, will proclaim your savagery to all the world.

Among the most welcome clerical visitors ating at Sandringham the other Sunday after. hear of it the next day at dinner. He was rather ing. Courtships extending over 10, 15, even 20 relieved when the Princess asked him why he had | years, are not uncommon among the people, but

Kelly thereupon expressed his profound regret, in a case which occurred not many months ago. when H.R.H. rejoined "But, Mr. Kelly, why comes home and tells her son. "Go up till Allie did you not wet your fingers?" Mr. Kelly looked (Alexander) -- 's; I've axed his Ellen for ye, shanghai..... '80.18 astonished; Her Royal Highness's smile at his an' she'll tak' ye." "But I'm no' wautin' Ellen. astonishment was tinged with a dash of humour. | an' I'v no thought to change my life," quoth the

"And she lived in a palace of clear crystal," and her robes were of cloth of gold, and all her shame her an' me," said the mother. The youth subjects vied with each other for the honour of looked perplexed, rubbed his curly head, then being allowed to draw her golden carriage, rose to his feet and said sheepishly, "I suppose glittering with countless jewels." It is known I'd better be goin'. I'm no sain' but I'll tak to everybody how the great of the land in times her." In a month they were married. "An" when fairy godmothers walked the earth, made the never a word o' courtin' there was at all," their journeys through their happy dominions. said the proud mother, as she told the tale. Railways were there not yet, else would there no doubt be gorgeous steam engines, burning resewood, and emitting sweet odour instead of smoke.) It is more difficult to know how the rulers of our present fairyless time; arrange for their tours and trips with thecheads of railway companies; but how it is done in Germany was

recently explained in the Deutsche Beamten-Zeitung, which says that the Emperor William bruary :- For London-2,250 lbs. sorts tea, and and the Imperial Princes pay the full tariff on 15 packages andries. For South America-745 all private and Government railways, whether packages tea. From Japan-155 half-chests tea, it be for single tickets or for special trains, with From Manila-150 bales hemp, 200 bags coffee. Dr. von Gallhorn, who has been greatly the exception of the line between Cassel and and 7 packages sundries. troubled with insomnia, tells of the method Frankfort, on which the Emperor and the Em- Per steamship Glenfruin, sailed on the 4th which he has found effectual for two years in press travel free of charge. Prince Bismarck February: For London 4,020 lbs. congou, 120 curing it. It consists in bandaging one leg up | paid for all his railway tickets until 1870, when | bales waste silk, 65 bales punjum silk, and 37 to the knee with several layers of wet called. the Society of German Railway Administrations packages sundries. and covering these with a sheet of waterproof presented him with a salcon carriage, in which Per steamship Orestes, sailed on the 7th Fe. colth. This procedure dilates the vessels of the he travels free on all lines belonging to the bruary:-From Foochow-for London-171 packleg, and, by diminishing the amount of blood in society, as well as on all Government railway ages tea. From Manila for London-15 cases

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Another recent remarkable proof of the efficacy

great discussion among the townspeople whe-

ther to send the children to M. Pasteur or not.

land of liberty." The child a of poor people

are regularly hired out by anotion in most of

the cantons. There was a most painful scene

recently in the market-place at Biel, a town near

Berne, where, in spite of the heartrending en-

treaties of a widowed mother, her four young

out for a year to the highest bidder by the public

orier, the family thus being broken up and se-

parated for fear lest the woman should be com-

pelled to seek for assistance from the lowa.

This is really very nearly as bad as the old slave

sales in America, and I should doubt whether

an infamous system exists at the present time.

A new method for disposing of the human

decomposition under the influence of sunlight,

leaves a finely-divided deposit of metallic silver.

It is then placed in a bath of sulphate of copper,

of a gravity or other battery of constant cur-

rent. The result is that the body is encased in

a skin of copper, which prevents further change

or chemical action. If desired, this may be

The following amusing anecdote of Richard

Wagner and Alexandre Dumus pere is told by

received his visitors in modimval costumes, such

as he always were when composing. - Alexandra

Dumas, calling on him one day, was highly

amused at the masquerade. "You are all dress-

ed up, to play Gessler," said Damas, with his

good-natured laugh, which rather hurt the feel-

ings of the author of "Tannhäuser," who never-

theless returned M. Dumas's visit when next bo

was at Paris. After some considerable delay.

M. Damas appeared at last dressed magnificent-

ly in a dressing-gown with a large flower pat-

tern, a helmet with flying plumes, a life-bolt

round his waist, and enormous riding boots.

ling in my working costume. I can do nothing

The chief roadmaster to the French Govern-

ment railways has made the interesting discovery.

that the best plant yet discovered for consoli-

dating the loose soil of a newly made embank-

ment by the interlacing of its roots is the double

ed for the purpose require, he says, several

naratively feeble roots, while the double poppy

germinates in a few days, and at the end

of three or four months its roots are a foot long.

and tightly intorlaced. The plant is an annual, but it sows itself after the first year. In France

it is among the hardiest of the common plants,

and if it is so with us also we hope the authorities

will not neglect this discovery, as the brilliant

hue of the poppy in great masses would be de-

lightful as one flew by it for miles and miles.

When Parnell was an undergraduate at May-

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taste or wealth of the friends of the dead.

and connected for electrolysis with several cells

children, ranging from two to ten, were "placed"

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FOR SWATOW. THE Company's Steamship

"FOKIEN, Captain Goddard, will be despatched for the should be sent to the Company's Offices to arrive here on or about the 21st instant, above Port TO-DAY, the 12th instant, at in Scaled Envelopes, addressed to the Cellector For Freight or Passage, apply to DOUGLAS LAPRATE & Co.,

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Hongkong, 11th Fabruary, 1886. FOR SWATOW AND BANGKOK. THE SCOTTISH ORIENTAL STEAM-SHIP COMPANY, LIMITED. HE Company's Steamer

" MONGKUT," Captain P. H. Loff, will be despatched for the above Ports TO-MORROW, the 13th inst., at DAYLIGHT. For Freight or Passage, apply to YUEN FAT HONG,

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THE Company's Steamship "NAMOA." Captain Westoby, will be despatched for the above Ports on SUNDAY, the 14th instant, at DAYLIGHT.

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> Captain Milligan, will be despatched as above on THURSDAY, the 18th instant. For Freight or Passage, apply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agents. Dongles Steamship Company, Limited-\$50 Hongkong, 10th February, 1886. Hongkong Gas Company's Shares—\$120 per OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

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> STEAM TO YOKOHAVA, YIA NAGA-SAKI AND KOBE. (Passing through the INLAND SEA.) THE P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Steamship "THIBET;" will leave for the above place on FRIDAY, the

A. MolVER. Superintendent. Hongkong, 5th February, 1886. CHINA NAVIGATION COMPANY.

19th instant, at DAYLIGHT

FOR PORT DARWIN, THURSDAY ISLAND, COOKTOWN, TOWNSVILLE, BRISBANE, SYDNEY, MEL-BOURNE, &c. HE Steamship

"WHAMPOA," Captain Williams, will be despatched as above on SATURDAY, the 20th inst., at Four P.M. This vessel has unusually good Cabin Accommodation, situated amidships, on upper dock. For Freight or Passage, apply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agents. Hongkong, 3rd February, 1886.

STEAM TO SHANGHAL FITHE P. & O. S. N. Cc's Steamship "PESHAWUR," will leave for the above place about 24 hours after her arrival with the next English Mail. A McIVER,

Superintendent. Hongkong, 6th February, 1886. BEN LINE OF STEAMERS. FOR LONDON VIA SINGAPORE. HE Steamship

Captain Waring, expected to arrive first week in Fobruary, will receive quickdespatch as above. For Freight, apply to GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co. Hongkong, 26th January, 1886.

FOR LONDON AND HAMBURG. THE 3/3 L II Norwegian Bark "OPHIR," Samsomsen, Master, will load here for the abov

Ports, and will have quick despatch.

For Freight apply to Hongkong, 23rd December, 1885. FOR PORTLAND, (OREGON). THE 3/3 L I.I. American Barque "COLOMA,"

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THE U. S. Mail Steamer "CITY OF

DAY, the 18th February, at THREE P.M.,

taking Passengers and Freight for Japan, the

RETURN PASSAGES. - Passengers, who have paid full fare, re-embarking at San Francisco for China or Japan (or nice versa) within six months, will be allowed a discount of 20 %, from Return Fare; if re-embarking within one year, an allowance of 10 %, will be made from Return Fare. Pre-paid Roturn Passage Orders, available for one year, will be issued at a Discount of 25 % from Return Fare. These allowances do not apply to through fares from China and Japan to Europe. Freight will be received on board until 4 P.M.

on the day previous to sailing. Parcel Packages will be received at the Office until 5 P.M. same day; all Parcel Packages should be marked to address in full : value of same is required. Consular Invoices to accompany Cargo of Customs at San Francisco. For further information as to Passage and

Freight, apply to the Agency of the Company, No. 50A, Queen's Road Central. C. D. HARMAN, Agent. Hongkong, 25th January, 1886.

STEAM FOR -> SINGAPORE, PENANG, COLOMBO. ADEN: STEZ PORT SAID, MALTA. TRIESTE, VENICE, PLYMOUTH, AND LONDON;

BOMBAY, MADRAS, CALCUTTA, AND AUSTRALIA. N.B .- CARGO CAN BE TAKEN ON THROUGH on board Ship, at the Peak, Kowloon, Aberdsen, BURG. NEW YORK, AND BOSTON.

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THE PENINSULAR AND ODIENTAL STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY'S Steamship "NEPAUL," Capt. T. J. Alderton, with Her Majesty's Mails, will be despatched from this for LONDON via BOMBAY and SUEZ CANAL, on TUESDAY, the 16th February. at Four P.M. Cargo will be received on board until TEN A.M. Parcels and Specie (Gold) at the

Office until TEN A.M., on the day of sailing: Silk and Valuables for Europe will be transhipped at Colombo: Tea and General Cargo for London will be conveyed via Bombay without transhipment, arriving one wook later than by the ordinary direct route via Colombo. For further particulars regarding FREIGHT and PASSAGE apply to the Pentusular & ORIENTAL STRAM NAVIGATION COMPANY'S Office, Hongkong.

The Contents and Value of Packages are required to be declared prior to shipment. Shippers are particularly requested to note the terms and conditions of the Company's Black Bills of Lading. N.B.—This Stewner takes Cargo and Pass

engers for Marseilles. - A. McIVER, Superintendent. Hongkong, 6th February, 1886,

COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES ${f MARITIMES}.$ PAQUEBOTS POSTE FRANCAIS: NOTICE.

STEAM FOR SAIGON, SINGAPORE, BATAVIA, CO-LOMBO, ADEN, SUEZ. PORT SAID, MEDITERRANEAN, AND BLACK SEA PORTS. NAPLES. MARSEILLES, AND PORTS OF BRAZII AND LA PLATA;

LONDON AND ANTWERP, BORDEAUX, LE HAVRE, AND DUNKIRK.

N TUESDAY, the 23rd day of February 1896, at Noon, the Company's Steamship

don as well as for Marseilles, and accepted in Calcutta, Aden, Mauritius, Egypt, Malta, and transit through Marseilles for the principal Gibraltar. places of Europe. Shipping Orders will be granted till NOON. Cargo will be received on board until 4 P.M. Specie and Parcels until 3 P.M., on the 22nd February, 1886. (Parcels are not to be sent on board; they must be left at the Agency's Office.) Contents and value of Packages are required. For further particulars, apply at the Com-

pany's Office. G. DE CHAMPEAUX, Hougkong, 11th February, 1886.

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FIHE Steamship "OCEANIC," will be ANTON, Ger. str., Aerebos.-Wieler & Co. despatched for San Francisco, vid Yoko- AGENOR, Amr. ship, Lothaop.—Russell & Co. hama, on TUESDAY, the 23rd February, ARAB, Ger. bk., J. Moos.-Wieler & Co.

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STEAMERS EXPECTED. The E. & A. steamer Guthrie left Sydney on the 3rd January, and is due here on the 12th

The D. D. R. steamer Cassandra left Singapore on the afternoon of the 5th, and may be expected to arrive here on or about the 12th inst. The Ocean Steamship Company's steamer Jason left Singapore on the 8th, and is due here on the 16th instant. The E. & A. S. S. Co.'s steamer Tannadice

destined to Ports beyond San Francisco left Sydney on the 29th January, and is expected

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When Correspondence has been mis-sent or delayed (both of which are liable to happen occasionally) all that the addressee need do is to note on the cover, Sent to ---- ; or Received at 7 n.m. or as the case may be, and forward it. without any other writing whatever, to the Postmaster-General. This should be acted on MARSEILLES, GIBRALTAR, BRINDISI, the first time cause of complaint occurs; it is a mistake to let such matters pass for fear of giving trouble, a course which generally gives more trouble in the end.

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The Postsl Guide for 1886, revised to date will be found in the Daily Press Directory, 385 large edition, p. 701 small edition. This is the only authorised complete Summary of Postal information published in Hongkong.

The authorised List of Mails issued in connection with this paper is the one published twice each day in-our-Extra, which is always corrected to a much later hour than that given

A MAIL WILL CLOSE. For Swatow. - Per Fokien, to-day, the 12th estant, at 11.30 A.M. For Yokohama and Hiogo.—Per Breconshire, to-day, the 12th instant, at 11.30.A.M. For Shanghai.—Per Kwanglee, today, the 12th inst., at 3.30 P.M.

For Saigon .- Per Japanese, to-day, the 12th instant, at 4.30 P.M. For Swatow and Bangkok.—Per Mongkut, today, the 12th inst., at 5.00 P.M. For Singapore and London.—Per Glenariney, to-morrow, the 13th instant, at 5.00 F.M. For Swatow, Amov. and Foochow.-Per Namoa, to morrow, the 13th instant, at 5.00 P.M. For Straits and Bombay .- Per Sumatra, on Thursday; the 18th instant, at 2.00 P.M. For Nagasaki, Kobe, and Yokobame.-Per

MAILS BY THE UNITED STATES The United States Mail Packet Ciln of Sydney will be despatched on SATURDAY, the 13th instant, with Mails for Japan, Sau Francisco, the United States, Canada, Honolulu, Peru, &c., which will be closed as follows:-

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2.15 P.M., Registry coases, 2.30 P.M., Post-Office closes, but, Correspondence may be posted on hoard the Packet with Late Fee of 10 cents extra Postage until the time of departure. The Post Office declines all responsibility for Unregistered Letters containing Jewellery, &c.,

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make no enquiries into alleged losses of such

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SPINAWAY, Brit. bk., Garrick.—Captain. STRATHAIRLY, Brit. str., D. Boughton.-Butterfield & Swire. Sussex, brit. bk., Malcolm.—Order. TA HONGKONG, Siamese ship; Schmiegelow.-

VILLA DE RIVADAVIA, Spanish brig, M. de Carmus.—Brandao & Co. VORTIGERN, Brit. str., J. Brown.—Arnhold Karborg & Co.

A polite stranger in a railway station said to

inland for certain moral reasons; and he adds: A wealthy Marquis, who died in Paris some

"In her days of maidenhood," says the New York Commercial Advertiser, referring to Mme. Graville, "she was a tracher in a Russian family, whose feminine head was, like so many Slave, ordered Mademaisolle Fleury to perform smae poppy. The ordinary grasses or clovers employ. Perak Tin Mining and Smelting Company nanial office, which she refused, whereupon the former, flying into a rage, declared that if she The petticoated despot hesitated, and the teacher, who felt har danger in a place so remote, lost no

time in flying from the place." Many years ago, in consequence of a commercial panic, there was a severe run on a bank in South Wales, and the farmers jostled each odours bringing sleep to the restless traveller. other in crowds to get out their money. Things And next some one will discover an equally is the total of duties paid on general imports in were rapidly going from bad to worse, when the ccientific use for the daisy and the camellia, and 1868. This would amount to Tls. 67.410.60. bank manager, in a fit of desperation, suddenly even for the orchid.

> the bank was enabled to weather the storm. related (says Figure) that when he was preachnoon, the light was so deficient that the candles of eyes of the desired colour. When he was on the pulpit had to be lighted. As, however, Mr. Kelly observed that the wax was running hauled up before the Dean for his encounter over, and would probably drip down upon the Princess of Wules—who sat just beneath the got the worst of it, and as he looked as if he had, pulpit—he blew them out. An observation was he got off scot free. subsequently made to him that H.R.H. had "crow to pluck" with him, and that he would

extinguished the lights on the pulpit. He ex- frequently marriages are made up by the friends The death is announced at Naples of the once plained that he did, so under an apprehension and relations of the contracting parties. "I'm

COMMERCIAL INTELLIGENCE: THURSDAY, 11th February. EXPORT CARGOES. Per steamship Glaucus, sailed on the 3rd Fe-

Thermometer-Minimum (over night) 55 "Well, Mr. Parnell, I might, but I can't put it on in fast colours." "But I've got to have a CHINA COAST METROROLOGICAL REGISTER.her go." The embryo Irish statesman braced ____ himself, and the old fellow let him have it 10th February, 19:6, at 4 r.m. straight and hard between the eyes. The next with the "bulldog," Parnell claimed that he had 21.91 luiphong ... 20.89 54 94 18m 8 30.09 51 53 — 0 30.17 42 64 18m 3 ongkoug ... The Ulster man is not rapid in his love-mak-11th February, 1886, at 10 A.M.

wostnex. reluctant swain. "Man, dear, ye maun go up. The Barometer is rising and gradients for N.E. winds are I've axed the wee cutty (little girl), an' ye'll no increasing. The temperature is low; the humility moderate. and the weather cloudy, . . W. DOBERCK

> Hongkong Observatory, 11th February, 1886. METEOROLOGICAL REGISTER. Previous | On date | On date at & p.m. arometer femperature N.N.E.

> 1. BAROUETER reduced to 33 degrees Fahrenheit and to the level of the sea in inches, tenths and hundredths.
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> 3.—Hunterry in percentage of saturation, the humidity of air enturature with moieture being 100. L-Direction of the Wind to two points.
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> 5.—Force of the Wind according to Benefit Scale.
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> 6.—State of the Wind according to Benefit Scale.
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> 6.—State of the Windler B. blue sky; C. detached clouds: D. drizzing rain; F. bug; G. gloomy; H. ball; L. lightning; O. ofercust; P. presing abovers; Q. squally; R. rain; S. show; T. thunder; V. visibility; W. daw (wet).
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> 7.—Rays in incluse, tenths and hindredths.

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W. DOBERCK. Hongkong Observatory, 11th February, 1886.

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	Victoria Hotal, Hongkong, 16th January, 1886. [173	MADRAS, LAHORE. KURRACHEE, &c. Their Representatives in China—	NOTICE.	Grey Shirtings. At the per piece \$1.77 to 1.9.	Load, LB, por picul	4.55 Cuttlefish, Japan, without bones, p. pl.,\$15.50 to 16.50 Stockfish, per pioul
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	BRANDY, WHISKIES, ALE, STOUT	consigned to their care by this well-known house:— CLARETS, Monton, Larose, St. Julion			Spolter, per picul \$5.60 to Tiu, Malacca, per picul \$33.40 to	5.65 Flour, California, per sack of 50 lbs \$1.50 to 1.55 Rattans, Bangar, per picul \$4.25 to 4.60 Flour, American, per barrel of 100 lbs \$3.20 to 3.30
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